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IN RE APPLICATION OF  
RAMANATHAN ET AL.

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Examiner: SEHARASEYON,  
JEGATHEESAN

APPLICATION NO: 10/081,775

FILED: FEBRUARY 21, 2002

FOR: POLYNUCLEOTIDE ENCODING A HUMAN G-  
PROTEIN COUPLED RECEPTOR, HGPRBMY25,  
EXPRESSED HIGHLY IN IMMUNE-RELATED TISSUES

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 WITH  
AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official action dated October 5, 2004, please consider the following amendments and remarks for the captioned application, without prejudice. Submitted concurrently herewith is a Petition for Extension of Time for a period of two months, up to and including March 5, 2005, accompanied by the appropriate fee; a marked copy of a Substitute Specification, in addition to a clean copy thereof; a copy of ATCC Deposit Receipt for ATCC Deposit No. PTA- 3161; and a Declaration pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.132, including its accompanying Exhibits A, B, C, and D.

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